

JUDGE STAAKE ASKED TO CHECK DRINKING IN CITY ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

Anti-Saloon League Requests Court to Obtain Closing of Liquor Shops After Midnight

NEW YORK AS EXAMPLE

The Rev. Dr. Edward J. Moore Addresses Appeal to Jurist Here

The dawn of the new year will be greeted and celebrated away, but not by drinking, in this city, if Judge Staake accedes to a request by the Rev. Dr. Edward J. Moore, State superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, that he use his influence to close all saloons and bars...

The request was made today in the form of a letter, if Judge Staake complies he will ask the licensed liquor dealers in the city to close their bars...

The letter reads: Judge Staake, Philadelphia, Pa. Hon. William H. Staake, Philadelphia, Pa. Dear Judge—Employers of labor and the laborer have taken a position during the year 1915 regarding the use of intoxicating liquor...

This letter was sent following the action of the Anti-Saloon League in New York, which requested the authorities of that city to enforce the law regarding the closing hour of saloons on the night of New Year's Eve...

Supposed Postoffice Thieves Captured NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—In five men captured in a raid in Brooklyn today the police believe they have rounded up a gang which has committed postoffice robberies throughout the country...

Major Gherst Gets State Berth HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Major M. A. Gherst, formerly of the National Guard circles and a former commander of the Pennsylvania Department of the Grand Army, was today appointed to a position in the Warrenton Compensation Bureau and assigned to the Harrisburg office...

Judge and Party on a Hunt Judge John M. Patterson, of Common Pleas Court No. 1 and Attorney Cornelius Haggarty, Jr., are leading a party of Nimrods through the forests and over the meadows of North Carolina, pursuing wild turkeys and deer...

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WILSON, IN "OL' SANTA" ROLE, HAS SACK FULL OF FINE GIFTS

New York and Brooklyn Postmaster-ship Among Many Presents He Holds

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—It will be a merry Christmas for a number of Democratic office-seekers. President Wilson, in the role of "Ol' Santa," has a sackful of postmaster-ships, an ambassadorship or so and any number of minor appointments...

Two of the biggest postmaster-ships, New York and Brooklyn, will be important politically, showing the President's attitude toward Tammany, which holds the balance of power in the House...

BULLDOG BITES FIVE MEN AND FOUR BOYS

Children Attacked While Sledding and Seriously Injured. Policeman Among Victims

A snarling bulldog ran wildly through the neighborhood of 20th and Locust streets last night, biting five men and four boys, and after an exciting chase by a policeman...

Children were sledding when the dog approached them. He was an unusually large bulldog, of ferocious appearance. Huge teeth protruded from his jaw...

They were taken to the Children's Hospital, 18th and Bainbridge streets, and treated by Dr. A. Overton Tarran. According to the physician the wounds of all were sufficiently severe to be serious...

When the dog attacked the boys, they ran in all directions. Patrolman Arthur Jones tried to beat the dog with his club, and was bitten on the hand...

The latter was bitten on the nose, and...



PHILLIP KUNZ One of the children in South Philadelphia bitten by a snarling bulldog, which attacked nine persons.

at the Polytechnic Hospital where the men were treated his condition was said to be serious. The others were permitted to go home, promising to return to the dispensary today...

When the dog was killed at 20th and Lombard streets children were playing nearby, and Jones put a bullet into the animal's brain as it was approaching the youngsters.

BABY'S DEAD BODY FOUND ON PILOT OF LOCOMOTIVE

Pennsylvania Engineer Discovers Mysterious Bundle at Johnstown

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 16.—The body of an infant a day or two old was found on the pilot of the locomotive attached to train No. 6 on the Pennsylvania Railroad last night by Engineer W. McFadden...

He noticed a package wrapped in a Pittsburgh newspaper as he walked in front of the train, and took it into the cab where its contents were disclosed. He had no idea when or how the body was placed on the pilot.

The body was turned over to the Johnstown authorities.

PRESIDENT'S WEDDING ONLY 48 HOURS OFF, YET SECRECY VEILS IT

Bridegroom - to - Be Considers Marriage Simply and Purely a Personal Affair

FACTS NOT FOR PUBLIC

Washington Society Folk Miffed, for They Did Want to Know About Gowns

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—With the time for the wedding of President Wilson and Mrs. Norman Galt only 48 hours off, Washington society was still in the dark today concerning the arrangements...

It is understood that 5 o'clock Saturday night has been the hour fixed for performing the ceremony at the home of Mrs. Galt. Both the bride and bridegroom will be unattended, according to today's rumors...

Whether the newly wedded pair will leave the city after the ceremony or not is known only to two persons, the President and his bride-to-be.

PRIVATE CAR IN RESERVE

Up to the present time no arrangements have been made for either a private car or a special train to carry the couple away from Washington. It is understood that a private car will be held in reserve here in Washington if it should be needed, but the indications today were...

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that if a wedding trip is undertaken it will be made by automobile, and that a point in Virginia or Maryland nearby will be selected. It had been supposed that the yacht Mayflower would be chosen to avoid the crowds and extensive renovation was made on it by the naval authorities...

The present critical state of the relations with Austria and the general European situation were expected to prevent the President going far from Washington. In fact, there were many persons who believed that there would be no wedding trip, but that the President and his bride would go to the White House and remain in seclusion there for a short time...

Information even as to the list of family guests who will witness the wedding was refused at the White House, while Mrs. Galt positively declined to receive any callers or to answer any questions. Her regular telephone has been disconnected, and to reach her by phone it is now necessary to call up the White House switchboard, thus permitting a censorship on incoming calls.

Washington society was distinctly miffed today over the seclusion. While it had been expected that the guest list would be limited, there had been a belief that certain intimate details, such as the style and material of the wedding gown and the like, would be made public. But at the request of the President, Mrs. Galt has taken only Mrs. McAdoo, Miss Margaret Wilson, Miss Helen W. Jones and one or two of her own closest relatives into her confidence and shown them her trousseau...

There are to be no outsiders present at the ceremony, and in order to make secrecy more certain, announcement of the officiating clergyman is to be withheld until the very last moment. As a result, the names of at least a dozen clergymen, who have been associated with the President and Mrs. Galt in their church work and attendance are being mentioned as certain to officiate.

It is understood that the marriage license will not be issued until Saturday afternoon.

Wilson and Bride to Visit Jekyll Isle

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 16.—Reports reached here today that President Wilson and his bride would pass part of their honeymoon on Jekyll Island. Arrangements for their stay are said to be already under way.

WOULD CUT POSTAGE IN HALF

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